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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **TAKAHASHI, et al.**

Group Art Unit: 3739

Serial No.: 09/941,984

Examiner: **John P. LEUBECKER**

Filed: **August 30, 2001**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 7633

**FOR: STEREOENDOSCOPE WHEREIN IMAGES HAVING PASSED THROUGH
PLURAL INCIDENT PUPILS ARE TRANSMITTED BY COMMON RELAY
OPTICAL SYSTEMS**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 22, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **April 23, 2003**, extended to **August 23, 2003** by a **one (1) month** Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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